

WEST BEND MOOSE NEWSLETTER!

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OUR NEW CAMPAIGN FOR 2023/2024

"PROUD PAST, BRIGHT FUTURE"

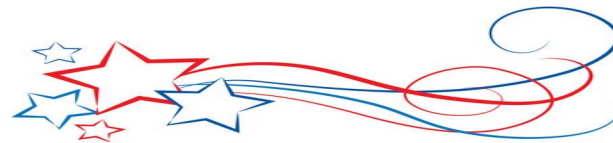


- Ashley Roberts
- Thomas Krance
- Brendan Sullivan
- Matthew Leithold
- Susan Ciriacks
- Trish Wolfe
- Patrick Wolfe
- Tom Wenzlaff
- Michael Berend
- Judy White
- Chong Lynn Lor
- Mark Schauland
- Richard Hodge
- Blake Cauble
- Gary Mellgren
- Thomas Kopp
- Ross Flitter
- Cindy Hoogester

WELCOMING
OUR NEW MEMBERS

Current Lodge Hours:

Monday: Meetings 7pm
Tuesday: 4:30pm-Close
Wednesday- 4:30-Close
Thursday- CLOSED
Friday: 4:30pm-Close
Saturday- Brat Fry 10-2pm
Sunday- CLOSED



Veterans Dinner! November 9th

You are cordially invited to attend the
Valued Veterans dinner!

Cocktails at 5pm
Dinner at 6pm
Ceremony to follow dinner

Please RSVP to Carol Jung
by November 2nd (262-247-6309)

Letter from our President

Lodge Board of Officers Lodge #1398

President - **Carol Jung**
Vice President- **Mike Schwai**
Jr. Past President - **Walter Pretsch**
Chaplin - **John Guillaume**
Administrator - **Jeff Kaebisch**
Treasurer - **Robert Miller**
Trustee - **Kathy Licht**
Trustee - **Russ Guillaume**
Trustee - **Eileen Mueller**
Sgt. at Arms- **Tom Holtz**
Inner Guard- **Carl Schad**
Outer Guard- **Ken Knop**

Hello Moose Brothers and Sisters,

There was frost on the pumpkins already. The leaves are changing slowly and next is the WHITE stuff. Before you know it the holidays will be among us. Let's enjoy this special time with family and friends. Lets not forget the kids at Mooseheart or the Seniors at Moosehaven.

The Lodge was really busy this past month. New things coming up for this month please read the newsletter for all the activities and meetings. Please come and enjoy the new Chicken Dinner on the 1st Wednesday of the month. We tried it last month and got quite a few compliments on how delicious it was. Come try it and see for yourself!

The Chapter had a fantastic turn out for their Chapter Rally Days Weekend. They had over 135 members from across the state of Wisconsin plus members from Illinois in attendance. It was so rewarding to hear all the compliments on our Lodge about the hospitality and the good food that was served. Something we can all be very proud of.

Cradle sales going on at the Lodge for the month of October. There is a competition going on between the Sr. Regent Sarah and President Carol. The one who loses has to wear a funny costume from the winner and say 5 nice things about her. So show your support for these 2 ladies. A fun activity and all proceeds go to Moose Charities.

Moose Lodge Veterans Dinner is Thursday Nov 9th. Invitations have been sent out in the mail. Please call Carol Jung 262-247-6309 with your reservations; 5pm drinks, 6pm dinner and ceremony to follow. Spouses also invited.

Mooseheart Bus Trip for Tree Lighting is Saturday December 2nd; you can stop and pick up a reservation sheet at the Lodge the cost is \$30.00 per person. Check out the Christmas tree board at the Lodge.

MEMBERSHIP - On Monday at our Membership meeting we voted in 12 new Members; AWESOME JOB! Keep asking your friends co-workers and family members to come and join us. Check out the incentives for signing new members - for 3 new members you sign up get a free fish fry sign up 5 new members get your dues paid next year and if you're a life member you will receive a 25.00 Chamber Gift Certificate.



Dear Brother and Sisters,

General membership meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month except holidays & occasional special events. We invite you to attend these meetings, meet some of your fellow members & join in socializing that usually follows our meetings. Here you will learn about the workings of the lodge and the activities that we hope you and your family will enjoy.

Fraternally yours,
Carol Jung
Membership Chairman

Fraternally Yours,
Carol Jung
President

**Join us for Lodge Meetings the 1st and 3rd meeting of the Month!
Meeting begins at 7pm. All members in good standing are encouraged to attend!**

2023 Chapter Board of Officers
Chapter #732

Senior Regent - **Sarah Guillaume**
Jr. Past Regent - **Penny Norman**
Secretary - **Katti Schneider**
Treasurer - **Kae Anderson**

WOTM Chairmen

Membership/Retention - **Amy Kreutzer**
Fraternal Activities - **Marlene Wilde**
Mooseheart/Moosehaven - **Tammy Schmidt**
Higher Degrees - **Vickie Pretsch**
Application Review - **Helene Springer**

College of Regents Celebration!

November 18th

Doors Open at 11am, Lunch at 12pm
Meeting to Follow

Come Join us in Celebrating our most recent
College of Regents Recipient, Carol Jung!
Celebrate Amy Kreutzer on her tassel
Change!

We are collecting new socks, underwear,
gently used blankets & clothes, and toiletries
for the Homeless Vets in our Area.

PLEASE RSVP TO BARB CARTER
BY NOVEMBER 4TH

Letter from our Senior Regent

Hello Sisters,

Welcome to a new month! I hope you all are having a great start to the month and are enjoying the chilly, fall weather! November is College of Regents month! We are celebrating Carol Jung as our new College recipient and Amy Kruetzer getting her tassel changed! Chairman, Vickie has a fun day planned to celebrate these accomplishments! We are celebrating them on November 18th at 12:00pm for lunch, and our meeting to follow! They are also collecting new socks, underwear, and toiletries for the homeless veterans around the area as a community service project for Socks for Vets! Please note that we will NOT be having our first regular meeting of the month, but instead please consider joining us at the OPEN meeting on November 18th ! All members are welcome to join us for this special day!

Thank you, thank you, THANK YOU!! We are truly grateful for everyone that pitched in to help make our Chapter Rally Days a huge success! We hosted 144 Chapter members from around the state and even a few Chapter members from Illinois!! We had a great weekend coming together as Sisters of the Moose, sharing all the many accomplishments, and catching up with sisters we see only a few times a year! We also had two wonderful guest speakers that really tugged on the heart strings of everyone in the room with their powerful stories! Thank you, NAMI (National Alliance of Mental Illness), and AFSP (American Foundation of Suicide Prevention) for coming to share with us some additional information about who they are and some of the powerful survivor stories with all of us!

As we are now rolling into the winter months, you may see me roaming around the lodge more frequently! Please feel free to stop me and say hi, but also contact me at any time if you need anything!

Fraternally yours,
Sarah Guillaume
Senior Regent



**Women of the
Moose**

**Join us for Chapter Meetings the 2nd & 4th Mondays of the
Month at 7pm!**

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE IN NEED OF A GREETING CARD?

PLEASE CALL ELEANOR MURASKI 262-689-6256 FOR ALL CHAPTER MEMBERS

***IF YOU KNOW OF A FEMALE MEMBER THAT IS ILL, HAS DIED, NEEDS CHEERING UP, HAD A BABY, GOT MARRIED, ETC.
MAKE SURE YOU HAVE THEIR ADDRESS READY WHEN YOU CALL***

PLEASE CALL THE LODGE 262 - 338 -8122 FOR ALL LODGE MEMBERS



**Craft Night ~ November 15th
Star Stands (pre-ordered)**

Come decorate your stars! If you did not order a star stand, no problem! Bring your craft from home, eat some wings and craft your heart away while enjoying the company of your fellow Sisters!

Next craft night:
Wednesday, January 17th, 2024
Craft: Create a lantern out of picture frames!

THERE IS NO DECEMBER CRAFT NIGHT!

Any questions, ask for Katti Schneider!



Help Support the Lodge

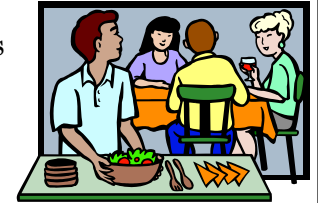
Need a Place for Your Party?

We have the perfect venue for you! We offer the lower level for \$150 per day, or the main level for \$250 per day! A \$50 deposit is due at the time of reservations, which will be returned when the hall is cleaned after the event.

We offer catering! A large menu of options! Bartenders are available \$10/hour additional to rental fee. Tablecloths and decorating available for additional charge. Contact us today to book your next event!!

Contract & deposit due upon reservation

***For Reservations : Moose Lodge Office 262-338-8122, Ask for Jeff
Any Rental Lodge that Includes Dinner, 20% gratuity will be added to the bill.**



ANY OPEN TO THE PUBLIC LODGE EVENTS, WE WELCOME YOU TO TAKE FLYERS AND POST AROUND THE AREA TO HELP GET INFO OUT IN THE PUBLIC EYE!! GRAB SOME ON YOUR WAY OUT!!

THANK YOU, THANK YOU!!!

Thank you to all our amazing volunteers, our Lodge members and our C.R.D committee who helped make this year's Chapter Rally Days a SUCCESS!!! We could not have done it without you! Thank you to all the donations and hard hours spent to make sure this weekend was one for the memory books!

We had 21 Chapters in attendance, with over 135 members present on Saturday! Fun was held by all! Many praises were given from all over, so be proud to be a member of West Bend Chapter 732!

Start planning ahead! Next year's Rally Days will be in Kenosha 2024! Look out for more details to come!

Please remember if you visit the lodge as a Guest, you are only allowed 3 visits & then you will have to become a member!

We value our members & need to encourage our guests to join our Moose Family! Thank you!!!



Bricks are still available for the Memorial Plaza! You can pick up a registration form at the lodge!





NOVEMBER 2023



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 CHICKEN DINNER 4:30PM - 7PM	2	3 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>JOE KADLEC</u>	4 BRAT FRY 10-2PM <u>STEAK NIGHT!</u> <u>BUCK SHOT!</u>
5 <u>LODGE BREAKFAST</u> 9-11:30 AM	6 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM	7 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM	8 Spaghetti Dinner 4:30pm - 6:30pm	9 Veterans Dinner 5pm - 7pm Reservations REQUIRED!	10 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM	11 BRAT FRY 10-2PM
12 BRAT FRY 10-2PM	13	14 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM	15 WING NIGHT! 4:30 - 7PM CRAFT NIGHT!	16	17 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>CHRIS HODGSON</u>	18 COLLEGE OF REGENTS CELEBRATION 12PM MEETING TO FOLLOW
19 <u>LODGE BREAKFAST</u> 9-11:30AM PACKER GAME AT 12PM	20 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM	21 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM	22	23 THANKSGIVING! LODGE CLOSED 	24 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>JEFF MUELLER</u>	25 
26 CHILI & BURGERS AFTER THE CHRISTMAS PARADE 4PM - 8PM	27 WOTM MEETING 7PM	28 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM	29	30		
			Kitchen Specials every week! Check our Facebook page or come in to see what's new.		For more entertainment information & times check out the Entertainment portion of our Newsletter!	

Events at the Lodge!



Breakfast with SANTA is back!!

Saturday, December 16th 2023

9am-Noon

We will have pancakes, sausage, sweets, milk and juice!

Adults are \$6 each

Registered Children are FREE!

Registration is REQUIRED!!! Event is for Members and Qualified guests only!! All families will have time with Santa!

Registration is open until December 10th 2023! Please sign up at the lodge!

Any questions, please contact Tammy at 262-388-6209, we are looking for donations of bows, and candy canes!

District 3

Next meeting ~ Jan 10th

At the Cabin in Fond du Lac!

Come get involved at the District Level!



Women of the
Moose

December 11th!

WOTM Chapter

Christmas Dinner!

6pm, Meeting to Follow

Come enjoy some delicious food with your fellow

Sisters!

Celebrate the Holidays with your Moose Family!

\$10/per person

Invitations will be mailed soon!

Reach out to your WOTM Board for more details and questions you may have!



Entertainment for the Month

Entertainment for November !

All Entertainers on Friday nights start at 6 pm to 9 pm.

Fri - Nov 3rd - Joe Kadlec with great music to dance to.

Sat -Nov 4th - Buck Shot gives us his easy listening music for our Steak Night ~ 5:30 to 8:30 pm

Fri - Nov 17th - Chris Hodgson return with his Classic Rock and Country along with some of his own written music. We all Love Chris here at our Lodge.

Fri - Nov 24th after your busy Black Friday shopping come on over to the lodge and hear Jeff Mueller playing a variety of music .

3 of our Entertainers this month are Moose Members come hear them and support a fellow moose member.

I do have one request from all members, once I have posted fliers around our lodge PLEASE Do NOT tamper with them and write on them something different. What I post is what the our Lodge Board have approved and unless changed by them it should not be changed.

If it is OPEN TO THE PUBLIC that info will already be on the flier . When it is opened to the public, there will be extra fliers out on the tables for you to take to help hang up in your area to get the word out. That will help a lot I appreciate that.

If you have any questions or suggestions for me you can find me at the Lodge on Fri nights and some Saturdays or you can always email me at lvselvis@gmail.com or send me a pm on Facebook.

I love doing this for our Lodge and to continue to get entertainers to keep our nights a hopping.

Have a Wonderful Thanksgiving!

Sincerely,

LaDawn Lemerond, Entertainment Chairperson

Reasons to Sponsor or Renew Members

In Home Renewing Special

If **two** people in your home
1 male & 1 female
renew at the same time
you will receive
Buy 1 Get 1 Fish Fry Coupon
This has to be in the Lodge ONLY!

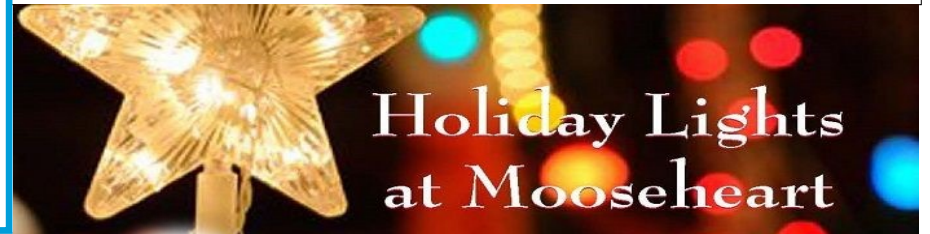


Sponsoring Special

When you sponsor 3 members into the lodge, you will receive a coupon for a **FREE Steak Dinner!**
Special good until April 30, 2024!

New Lodge Membership Special!

If you sign up 5 members, then you get your choice of 1 year's Lodge dues for FREE or a gift certificate.
Lifetime Members will get a gift certificate
Interested???
Talk to your Lodge Board for more details!



SAVE THE DATE



Saturday, December 2nd!

Come join your fellow Lodge members and other members from around the State! Travel down to Mooseheart, IL to see the children and visit the Wisconsin Home!

Interested? Of course you are!

Sign up today! Look for the Christmas Tree Board in the Lodge!

Cost: \$30/person - Includes bus ride and dinner at the Illinois Zion Lodge!

- * **November 18th - OPEN WOTM Meeting - Celebrate our recent College of Regents Recipient & Tassel Change Recipient**
 - * **November 26th - Chili & Burgers after West Bend Parade**
 - * **December 15th - Christmas Spectacular with Duo "The Gebel Girls"! Featuring Rachel Christine from the Voice!**
 - * **December 16th - Breakfast with Santa!**
- Registration REQUIRED!**



Happy Birthday November!!



- Barbara Sass
- Bernard Newman
- Bette Thelen
- Betty Jo Kiefert
- Bill Steitz
- Bonnie Ullrich
- Brad Spurrier
- Brian Taylor
- Candice Brace
- Carl Schad
- Caroline Braatz
- Cecilia Pryor
- Claude Johann
- Craig Devenport
- Darlene Haessler
- David Ajack
- Debra Roffers
- Dennis Wohlt
- Denyse Fox
- Edward Haug
- Francis Ritger
- Gary Puestow
- George Schroeder
- George Straub
- Glenn Baumann
- Gwendalyn Greenley
- Herbert Theisen
- Jenn Koehn
- Jennifer Eibs
- Joan Fay
- John Springer
- John Schweitzer
- Julianne Pickering
- Kathy Griepentrog
- Keith Herman
- Laura Schad
- Lynne Klemme
- Margie McCardle
- Marlene Schad
- Mary Moll
- Michael Martens
- Michele Rosenberger
- Nicole Beder
- Patrick Wolfe
- Richard Schmidt
- Ricky Crass
- Robert Walter
- Robert Miotke
- Robert Myers
- Robin Ehrensberger
- Sue Anderson
- Susan Haddorff
- Terry Tennies
- Thomas Winkler
- Thomas Dobberstein
- Thomas Doll
- Thomas Van Beek
- Todd Tennies
- Victor Tock



IF YOU DO NOT SEE YOUR BIRTHDAY HERE, PLEASE CONTACT US WITH YOUR BIRTHDAY TO UPDATE OUR SYSTEM. SORRY!



BRING THIS COUPON IN DURING YOUR **BIRTHDAY MONTH ONLY** TO REDEEM **1** FREE DRINK!



Wisconsin & International Moose Highlights!



State Chairmen

State Community Service Chairman - **Helen Kiefer**

State Moose Booster Chairman - **Jeff Kaebisch**

State School Support Chairman - **Tammy Schmidt**

State Sports Chairman - **Debbie Guillaume**

Donor Circle Chairman - **Vickie Pretsch**

Wisconsin State Sports News

Upcoming Tournaments!

- * Start Dart Ball - EKM January 20th, 2024
- * 301 Co-Ed Darts - February 3rd
- * State Bowling - Janesville March 9th - April 14th
- * 2025 State Horseshoes ~ West Bend Lodge 1398!

On September 23rd, the West Bend Moose Lodge held the State Cornhole tournament. There were 12 teams from Green Bay, EKM, Racine, Kenosha, Muskego and West Bend. It was a beautiful day for pitching and being with other members.

The winners were: 1st place Mike & Cheryl Klabunde Muskego; 2nd place Jake Funk & Megan Hill Green Bay; 3rd place Rick & Angel Carlson Racine; and Kurt Fallbeck & Mary Runge Racine.

In the luck of the draw tournament, the winners were: 1st place Jim Konitzer and Mary Runge with 2nd place Megan Hill and Mike Klabunde.

Luck of the Draw Winners:

1st

2nd



1st



2nd

3rd



4th



WOTM Chapter 732 Highlights!!

MONTHLY COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

Socks for Vets!



This month's community service project is collecting new socks, underwear, and toiletries for the homeless veterans around the area as a community service project for Socks for Vets!

Academy of Friendship

November 29th - Christmas Dinner!

\$10/person

Please RSVP to Carol Jung

Dinner: Ham, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans and Rolls

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER!



WOTM Meetings

November Meetings

Monday 18th (OPEN MEETING)

& Monday 27th at 7pm

All WOTM in good standing are encouraged to attend!

Wisconsin Moose Legion 31 Highlights!!

Next Celebration

January 13th, 2024

Muskego Lodge

Christmas Celebration!

Meeting at 12pm, Christmas Party at 1pm



Moose Legion 31 was awarded Top Moose Legion Award at our annual conference back in September up in Stevens Point, WI.
Way to go Moose Members!!!